



EVA HALE COCHRAN

December 14, 1922 - August 4, 2016

COCHRAN, Eva Hale, age 93, formerly of Middletown, passed away Thursday, August 4, 2016 at Otterbein Retirement Community in Lebanon, where she had resided for 15 years. She was born December 14, 1922 in Middletown, and graduated from Franklin High School as the Valedictorian, Class of 1940. Eva volunteered as a nurse's aide at Middletown Hospital during W.W. II. She was employed as a secretary at McGraw Construction for ten years. She was a member of the Breiel Boulevard First Church of God and the Otterbein Methodist Church. She was a member of the Ladies' Friendship Club at the Crawford Street First Church of God, and a member of the Eastern Star. Eva made her own greeting cards, enjoyed flower gardening, and was an avid writer, including poetry in the Scribblers Club at Otterbein. Preceding her in death were her parents, Henry and Lily (Fairchild) Hale; her husband, James B. Cochran, Jr. in 2005; and one sister, Phyllis Heinkel in 2016. She is survived by three children, Peggy Davis, Thomas (Lottie) Cochran and David (Melonie) Cochran; five grandchildren, Andrew, Caleb, Chloe, Julia and Milana; one brother, Henry C. (Sue Ann) Hale; and many nieces, nephews, extended family and friends. Visitation will be Wednesday, August 10, 2016 from 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Otterbein Chapel at the Otterbein Retirement Community, 585 N. State Route 741, Lebanon, Ohio 45036, followed by services at 3:00 p.m. at the chapel with Dr. George Phillips officiating. Interment will be at North Monroe Cemetery, Monroe, Ohio. Arrangements by Herr-Riggs Funeral Home, 210 S. Main St., Middletown.

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.herr-riggs.com

Tribute Wall



“ *EVA HALE COCHRAN*

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“ *We were on our way to Florida when we heard the news about your Mom. My mom was so saddened. It triggered many memories of past escapades for her. Riding their bikes to Germantown Dam, going to Chitauqua in the summers... The "Club". My family is all down here together for the week. We all send our love and condolences. We have great memories of fun times with your family. We all have been blessed with great parents. Truly a great generation.*

The Ruth Cruse Family

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